

**Assembly Bill No. 2746**

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Passed the Assembly May 27, 2016

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*Chief Clerk of the Assembly*

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Passed the Senate August 18, 2016

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*Secretary of the Senate*

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This bill was received by the Governor this \_\_\_\_\_ day  
of \_\_\_\_\_, 2016, at \_\_\_\_\_ o'clock \_\_\_\_M.

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*Private Secretary of the Governor*

## CHAPTER \_\_\_\_\_

An act to add Section 311.2 to the Public Utilities Code, relating to the Public Utilities Commission.

## LEGISLATIVE COUNSEL'S DIGEST

AB 2746, Obernolte. Public Utilities Commission: contracts: electronic submissions.

Under existing law, the Public Utilities Commission has regulatory authority over public utilities and can establish its own procedures, subject to statutory limitations or directions and constitutional requirements of due process. The Public Utilities Act requires the commission to establish procedures to permit the submission of informal complaints through electronic means.

This bill would require the commission to adopt procedures authorizing the submittal of electronic signatures and documents by all parties on contracts involving the commission.

*The people of the State of California do enact as follows:*

SECTION 1. Section 311.2 is added to the Public Utilities Code, to read:

311.2. The commission shall adopt procedures authorizing the submittal of electronic signatures and documents by all parties on contracts involving the commission.



Approved \_\_\_\_\_, 2016

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*Governor*